

California CRS Quick Check				
Community name		California	BCEGS	9
NFIP Number		FIRM Effective Date		
Population		Current FIRM Date		
Application Date		County		
		<u>Chief Executive Officer</u>	<u>CRS Coordinator</u>	
Name				
Title				
Address				
Address				
		Coordinator's phone	Fax	
		Coordinator's e-mail		

Section	Prerequisites	Met	Can Meet	Enter
211	a(2) Have you had a Community Assistance Visit that concluded you are in full compliance with the NFIP?			
	a(4) How many repetitive loss properties are there in your community?			
	a(4) What is your repetitive loss category? (A = no rep losses, B = 1 - 9, C = 10 or more)			
	a(5) Have you maintained flood insurance policies on all buildings that have been required to have one?			
213	a How many buildings are in your community's Special Flood Hazard Area?			
	a How large is your community's Special Flood Hazard Area (in acres)?			

		Scores	Now	Could	Score	Max	Attach
310	a	Will you keep FEMA Elevation Certificates on all new buildings and substantial improvements in the SFHA?	38		38	38	
	b	Do you have FEMA Elevation Certificates on buildings built before your CRS application?			12	48	
320	a	Are you willing to publicize that you will read FIRMs for inquirers and keep a record of what you told them?			30	30	
	b	Do you provide inquirers with other non-insurance related information that is shown on your FIRM?			20	20	
	c	Do you provide information about flood problems other than those shown on the FIRM?			20	20	
	d	Do you provide information about flood depths?			20	20	
	e	Do you provide information about special flood-related hazards, such as erosion, subsidence, or tsunamis?			20	20	
	f	Do you provide information about past flooding at or near the site in question?			20	20	
	g	Do you provide information about areas that should be protected because of their natural floodplain functions?			20	20	
330	a	Enter 2 points for each flood-related informational brochure, flyer, or other document that is set out for the public to pick up.				200	Att
	a	Enter 4 points for each flood-related newsletter, presentation, or other outreach project that is implemented every year.					Att
		Central Valley communities receiving DWR's levee risk notification brochures: enter 15 points			15	30	
340	a	Do real estate agents actively advise house hunters if a property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area?			25	35	
	b	Automatic credit based on Department of Real Estate regulations.	15		15	25	
	c	Do real estate agents give house hunters a brochure or handout advising them to check out the flood hazard before they buy			8	12	
350	a	Do you have any flood-related references in your public library?			5	20	
	c	Do you have flood-related information or links on your community's website?			15	105	
360	a,b	Do you visit homes and help people determine how they could reduce their flooding or drainage problem?			25	85	Att
	c	If so, do you talk to people about sources of financial assistance for flood or drainage protection measures?			5	15	
370		Have you reviewed all your community's flood insurance policies and analyzed where coverage should be improved?			15	110	
410	a	Have you conducted your own flood studies and do you use the data when regulating new development?			50	290	
	a	Do you provide (or require the developer to provide) base flood elevations in approximate A Zones?			50	100	Att
	b	Did your community contribute to the cost of a Flood Insurance Study (e.g., provided cash or a better topo base map)?			20	200	Att

420	a	What percentage of your Special Flood Hazard Area is kept as park or other publicly preserved open space?	0%	0%	0%	100%	
		The percentage is multiplied times 1,450 to obtain the score.	0	0	0	1,450	
	c	Are some of those parks or other publicly preserved open spaces preserved in or restored to their original natural state?			15	350	
	e	Does your community have density transfers or other regulations to encourage developers to keep the SFHA as open space?			15	250	Att
	f	What percentage of your SFHA is zoned for minimum lot sizes of 5 acres or larger?	0%	0%	0%	100%	
		The percentage is multiplied times 300 to obtain the score.	0	0	0	600	
430	a(1)	Does your community prohibit filling or require compensatory storage in all or parts of the SFHA?			100	280	Att
	a(2)	Does your community prohibit certain types of buildings from all or parts of the SFHA?			100	1,000	Att
	a(3)	Automatic credit for the state requirement that Category 1 landfills (with hazardous materials) are not allowed in the SFHA.	5		5	5	
	b	Does your community have a freeboard requirement? If so, enter 80 points for each foot of required freeboard.			80	500	Att
	c	Do you have compaction and erosion protection requirements for filling used to support buildings?			30	80	Att
	d	Do you track building improvements and repairs cumulatively and add the values up to reach the 50% threshold?			40	90	Att
	d	Do you define substantial damage to include 2 floods in 10 years with average damage at 25% of the building's value?			20	20	Att
	f	Do you require critical facilities to be protected to the 500-year flood level?			20	80	Att
	g	Do you require a non conversion agreement signed by the permit applicant for an elevated building?			30	240	Att
	h	Automatic credit for the state building code, which all communities must adopt.	52		52	55	
	h	If your BCEGS class is 5/5 or better, your BCEGS credit is calculated automatically.	0		0	50	
	i	Do you have regulations that ensure that every new building will be built protected from local drainage flooding?			10	120	Att
	o	Enter 5 points for every CFM or EMI NFIP course graduate, up to a max of 25 points.			0	25	
	o	Do you keep paper records at a secure offsite storage site or scan them and back up the files?			5	5	
440	a	Is your FIRM on a local GIS layer and does the GIS also show streets and parcels?			50	160	
	b	Have you kept copies of all your old FIRMs?			10	15	
	c	Use the handout "CRS Credit for Benchmark Maintenance" to see if there are any qualifying benchmarks in the NSRS.			5	27	
450	a	Do you require new developments to build stormwater retention or detention basins?			30	380	Att
	c	Do you have permit records that show that you require new developments to control erosion from construction projects?			10	40	Att
	d	Do you have permit records that show that you require new stormwater facilities to include water quality provisions?			20	20	Att
510	a	Have you adopted a floodplain management or hazard mitigation plan that has been approved by FEMA?			50	382	Att
	c	Have you adopted a plan to protect aquatic or riparian species or other natural floodplain function?			15	100	Att
520		Enter 3 points for every building that has been cleared out of the floodplain up to a maximum of 190 points.			N/A	2,250	
530		Enter 2.4 points for every pre-FIRM building that has been elevated voluntarily, up to a maximum of 160 points.			N/A	1,600	
540	a	Do you have a program to regularly inspect streams, ditches, and other channels and to remove debris when found?			40	200	
	c	If you have credit for 540.a, do you have a capital improvements program for drainage improvements?			30	70	Att
	d	If you have credit for 540.a, do you have an ordinance that prohibits dumping debris, junk, grass, etc., in drainageways?			15	30	Att
	e	If you have credit for 540.a, do you have a program to regularly inspect storage basins and to remove debris when found?			25	120	
610	a - d	Do you have a system for getting notified when flooding is expected (more than listening to the radio)?					
		Do you have a flood response plan (or flood annex to the emergency plan) that specifies what to do after a flood notification?			25	340	
		Do you have a master list of critical facilities in the floodplain and arrangements for special warnings to them?					Att
	e	Are you a StormReady or TsunamiReady community? (see www.stormready.noaa.gov/)			25	25	
620	a - e	Do you have a levee, a levee maintenance program, and a levee failure warning and response plan (similar to 610 a-d)? Is there an annual outreach project sent to properties in the area that would flood if the levee overtopped?			50	235	
630	a	Is your community threatened by a failure of an upstream dam? If so, automatic credit for the State's dam safety program.	TBD		TBD	45	
	b - e	Do you have a dam failure warning and response plan (similar to 610 a-d)? Is there an annual outreach project sent to properties in the area that would flood if the dam failed?			25	115	
710		Enter your county's growth rate, i.e., the value for "CGA" from the right column on the next worksheet.	1.00	1.00	N/A	1.5	
		Total	110	0			
		Total "Now" + "Could"		110			
		Potential CRS Class	10	10			